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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
DYNAMIC DISTRIBUTED )  
COMPUTING OVER A NETWORK )

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Copies of the listed documents, including any copending patent applications, are attached. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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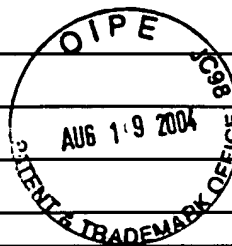
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